

KODIAK



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July 2008

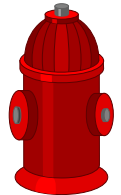
Serving Kodiak since 1941
US COAST GUARD

Kodiak, Alaska



NOTICE

HYDRANT AND WATER MAIN FLUSHING



During the months of **June** and **July** the ISC Fire Department will be conducting annual fire hydrant flushing. This activity is necessary to remove sediment that has accumulated over time from water mains and to conduct hydrant/water system flow testing. During these activities, occupants and residents may experience short periods of discolored water. Although aesthetically unpleasant, the water is safe for use.

If you experience discolored water, you should turn on the cold water throughout your facility/residence (e.g. sinks, showers/bath tubs) until the water runs clear. Aerators should be removed from faucets, if practical, during this process to avoid blockage. With the aerator removed, take this opportunity to clean and remove the sediment that has accumulated in the aerator over time. Soaking the aerator in vinegar will help with this process.

The schedule of activity is as follows:

- The month of June/July – Upper Nymans Peninsula
- The month of June/July – Industrial/Commercial Areas (hangars, etc)
- The week of July 7 – July 11 – Aviation Hill Housing Complex
- The week of July 14 – July 18- Upper Government Hill Housing Complex
- The week of July 21 – July 25- Lower Government Hill Housing Complex
- The week of July 28 – August 1- Lake Louise Housing Complex

If you have questions about these activities or experience prolonged water discoloration, please call the ISC Fire Department at 487-5808 or the Facilities Engineering Customer Service desk at 487-5444.

Prevention Staff
USCG ISC Fire and Rescue Department

AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM

ENROLLMENT STARTS July 15th, 2008

AT THE

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

**COME IN AND SIGN UP YOUR CHILD TO ENSURE A SPOT
IN THE PROGRAM**

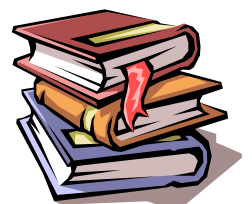
PROGRAM FOR GRADES 1 & UP STARTS ON AUGUST 26

PROGRAM FOR KINDERGARTEN STARTS ON SEPTEMBER 02

THE CDC VAN WILL PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION

MONTHLY FEE IS \$230

**THE AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM SCHEDULE FOLLOWS THAT
OF THE SCHOOL SYSTEM OBSERVING SCHOOL AND
FEDERAL HOLIDAYS.**



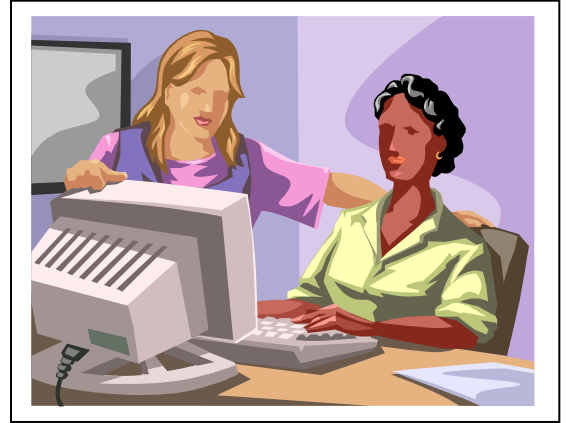
SKILLSOFT TRAINING FOR SPOUSES

****IT'S FREE****

Who can use this new program?

Spouses & Dependents of Active Duty
& Reserve Personnel

What is SKILLSOFT?



It is an online training system previously available only to Coast Guard members that includes leadership, project management, computer applications, and other general courses as well as online books.

How can I sign up?

FROM ANY COMPUTER THAT HAS INTERNET COAST GUARD SPOUSES CAN REQUEST A USER IDENTIFICATION (ID) ON THE INTERNET AT [HTTPS://LEARNING.USCG.MIL](https://learning.uscg.mil). HALFWAY DOWN THE PAGE UNDER THE SKILLSOFT HEADING SELECT: IF YOU ARE A SPOUSE OF COAST GUARD EMPLOYEE "CLICK HERE" AND COMPLETE THE REGISTRATION PAGE. SPOUSES WILL NEED THE ACTIVE DUTY MEMBERS EMPLOYEE IDENTIFICATION (EMPLID) NUMBER TO REQUEST A USER ID.

UPON VERIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY, A REGISTRATION CONFIRMATION WILL BE SENT TO THE REGISTERED SPOUSES E-MAIL ACCOUNT.



Considering Retirement or Separation?

Then consider:

T A P S Transition Assistance Program Seminars

*Currently Scheduled in
Kodiak :*

August 4-7, 2008

(Includes a brief on VA
Benefits, Tricare in
Retirement)

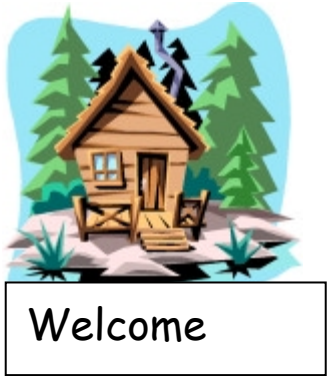
For all separating personnel and spouses

(TAP's is career information for anyone considering departing active duty service. Members should attend 2 years before retirement or 1 year before their end of enlistment.)



Questions Contact Transition and Relocation Manager
Debbie Bower at
907-487-5525 Ext. 275 or Debbie.J.Bower@uscg.mil
to register.

Offered by ISC Kodiak Work-Life Division
See Commandant Instruction 1900.2



Cabin Cache

Craft Boutique

487-5087

Hours: Wed 10:00 am-4:00pm

Friday 11:30am-3:30pm

Saturday 12:00pm-4:00pm

Cabin Cache carries unique gifts for babies, weddings, Secret Pals, and just because gifts. Our products are all made by local artist and crafters, and are constantly changing. We would like to welcome our new consignees to Cabin Cache. They have added new photo cards, jewelry, children's clothes and accessories' to our already diverse line of handcrafted gifts. We try to open on the days advertised, however, we are an all volunteer organization, and sometimes we just can't be open. If you would like to help us keep Cabin Cache open more hours please feel free to contact us at 487-5087. There are several benefits for volunteering. We are always looking for new consignees. We are located on the first floor of the Commissary building. Cabin Cache is operated by the SAK (formerly the OSA) and our profits go to local charities. Cabin Cache is open to the public.



Teensy Bear Preschool

When: Tuesday – Friday 9:00 to 11:30
Beginning Tuesday, September 2, 2008
Last day is Friday, May 22, 2009

No Class: Thanksgiving break November 27th & 28th 2008
Winter break December 22nd – January 2nd 2008
Spring break March 16 – 20 2009

Who: Children must be 3 years old by September 2, 2008.

Cost: \$160.00 per month.

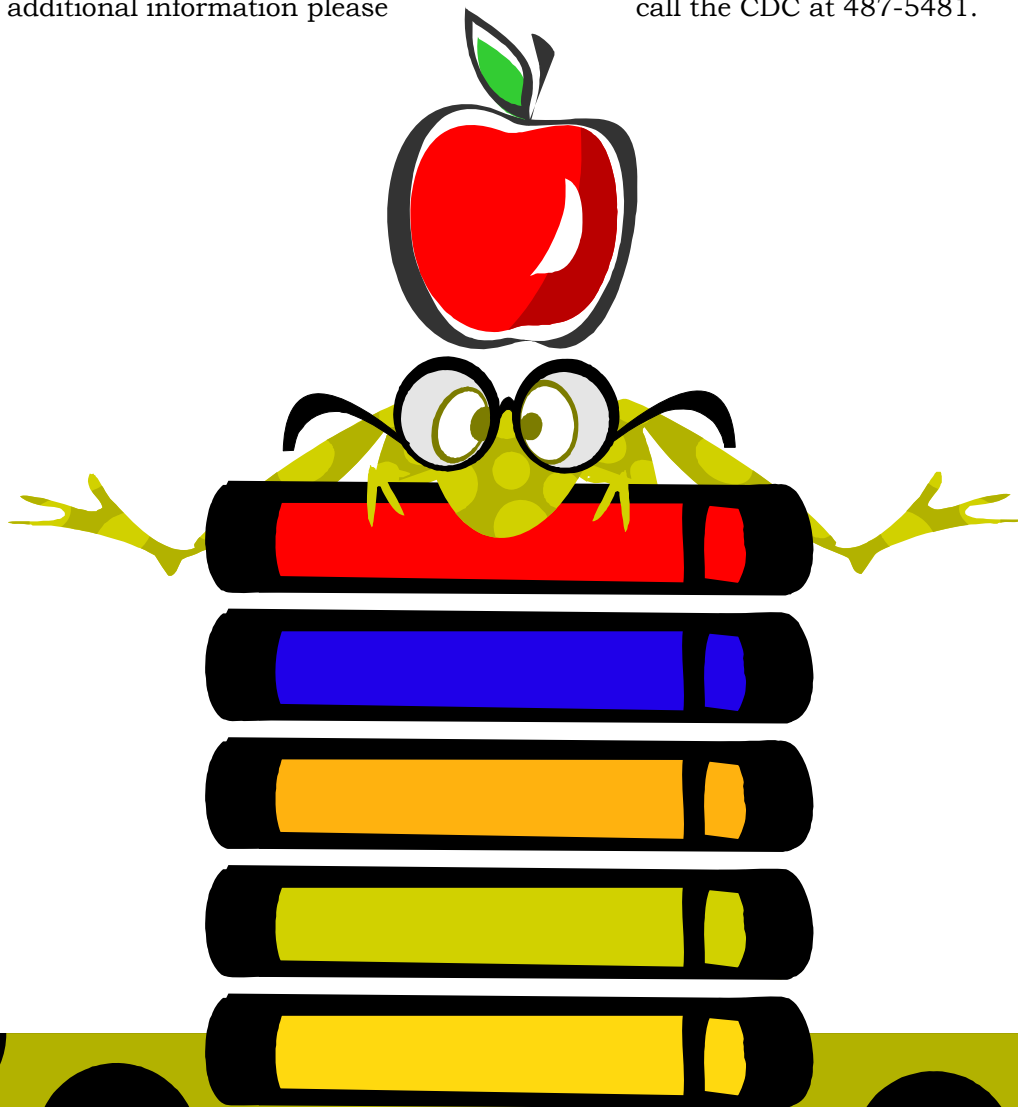
The Center is closed on Federal holidays

Spaces available for 2008-09 school year.

Registration begins July 15, 2008.

For additional information please

call the CDC at 487-5481.



MORE FREE, COMPREHENSIVE ONLINE EDUCATION RESOURCES

are available to you July 1 from the DoD.

Achieve your education and career aspirations with help from Peterson's online resource center, brought to you at no cost by the DoD MWR Libraries.

You will have access to all the resources in the DoD MWR Libraries on July 1. You will be able to log in to the MWR Libraries using your current username and password, giving you quick access to the following resources:

- **Tools for college success**
CLEP*, DSST®, college search
- **Tools for military success**
Prep for ASVAB, MFAT, OCT, AFOQT and GED®
- **Tools for a portable civilian career**
Civil service/licensure prep, create a resume
- **Tools for high school success**
Prep for SAT*, ACT®, PSAT®, AP*, SAT Subject Tests*
- **Tools for an Allied Health and Nursing career**
Prep for NCLEX, EMT, Allied Health exams
- **Getting into grad school**
Prep for GRE®, GMAT®, LSAT®

Access DoD MWR Libraries at:

www.militaryonesource.com

www.us.army.mil

www.nko.navy.mil

www.my.af.mil

www.myarmylifetoo.com

**AVAILABLE
JULY 1, 2008**

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*Learn the art of getting
in and out of a kayak.*



LEARN TO KAYAK

JULY 17TH

1:00-3:00

Learn self and assisted recoveries.

Perfect your paddle skills.



At The Base Pool

MWR Youth Ages 10-17

Class Size Is Limited

Call To Register:

487-5271 or 5250





Kidz Krafts



July 1st, 15th & 29th

10:30-12:00

MWR Eligible Boys & Girls

Ages 6 and up

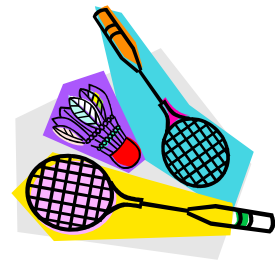
In the Gym



Tuesdays in July



Kidz Sports



July 8th and 22nd

10:30am-Noon

MWR Eligible Boys & Girls

Ages 6-9 years

Meet at Gym



Come, Learn and Play
All skill levels welcome



Family Skate Night



July 16th 4:30-6:30pm

All ages-Must be MWR eligible

Location: GYM

Please use skates provided by MWR

For more information call

Brenda @ 487-5271 or 487-5250

ALOHA PARTY

FOOD



PRIZES

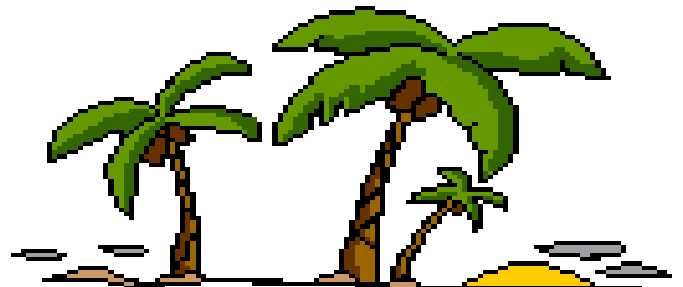
WHO: MWR Eligible Youth
10-17 years old

TIME: 2-5 PM

WHEN: Wednesday, July 9

WHERE: Jewel Beach Gazebo

GAMES: Volleyball
Horseshoes
Bocce Ball
Croquet
Badminton





Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Teen Center Hours: Monday-Friday 2:00-7:00 pm For information call: 487-5271 or 5250		1 Kidz Krafts @ Gym 10:30-12:00 Ages 6 and up	2 Jr Lifeguard Class	3	4 CLOSED 	5 CLOSED
6 CLOSED	7 Jr Lifeguard Class	8 Kidz Sports 10:30-12:00 Ages 6-12	9 Aloha Party Jewel Beach Gazebo 2-5pm See flyer Jr Lifeguard Class	10 Sports Club 2:30-4:00 Ages 10-14	11 Jr Lifeguard Class	12 CLOSED
13 CLOSED	14 Youth Soccer Registration Begins	15 Kidz Krafts @ Gym 10:30-12:00 Ages 6 and up	16 Skate Night 4:30-6:30	17 Kayaking Class 1-3pm Must Pre-register Club Sports 3-4pm Ages 10 and up	18	19 CLOSED
20 CLOSED	21	22 Kidz Sports 10:30-12:00 Ages 6-12	23 Laser Tag 2-4pm	24 Club Sports 3-4pm Ages 10-14	25	26 CLOSED
27	28	29 Kidz Krafts @ Gym 10:30-12:00 Ages 6 and up	30 Capture the Flag @ BMX Track 2-4pm	31 Club Sports 3-4pm Ages 10-14	We Are Now Located at the Base Gym!	

TEEN CENTER